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## TRANSMITTAL OF AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In connection with the above-referenced U.S. patent application, transmitted herewith are the following papers:

- [X] Amendment.
- [X] Petition for Extension of Time (2-month) (original + 1 copy).
- [X] A fee for amendment of claims is required, and is calculated as shown below:

AMENDED CLAIMS					
	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST NO. OF CLAIMS PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	LARGE ENTITY RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
Total Claims	55	- 72	= 0	x \$18=	0
Independent Claims	9	- 8	= 1	x \$ 84 =	\$84
If Amendment adds multiple dependent claims, add \$280.00					
Total Amendment Fee (LARGE ENTITY)					\$84
If small entity status is claimed, subtract 50% of Total Amendment Fee					\$42
FEE DUE FOR AMENDMENT OF CLAIMS FOR THIS RESPONSE					\$42

The total fee due of \$247.00 (\$205.00 ext. fee and \$42 extra independent claim fee) is enclosed (Check No. 2183). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0869 (Client Ref. ARTM 1000-5US). This paper is submitted in duplicate.

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